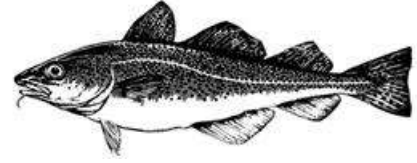


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**2014 South Alaska Peninsula Area State-Waters Pacific Cod  
Jig Gear Season Opening Delayed**

The National Weather Service (NWS) 48-hour marine weather forecast issued at 4:00 a.m., Tuesday March 18, 2014 for Area 155 contained gale warnings. Therefore, the South Alaska Peninsula Area state-waters Pacific cod season for jig gear will be delayed for 24 hours.

If the NWS 48-hour forecast issued at 4:00 a.m. Wednesday March 19, 2014 for Area 155 contains gale warnings the season will be delayed for an additional 24 hours. Season opening delays may continue on a rolling basis for 7 days beyond the initial opening date.

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